

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Santa Barbara County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

FROM: General Services Department
(Lead Department/Division)

Based on a preliminary review of the project the following activity is determined to be exempt from further environmental review requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, as defined in the State and County Guidelines for the implementation of CEQA.

LOCATION: 105 East Anapamu Street, 4th Floor Board of Supervisors Hearing Room

PROJECT TITLE: Award Contracts for Countywide Janitorial Services to Big Green Cleaning Company; All Supervisorial Districts.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The County's General Services Department is requesting the Board of Supervisors approve and execute agreements with Big Green Cleaning Company for Countywide janitorial services.

EXEMPT STATUS: (Check One)

- Ministerial
- Statutory
- Categorical Exemption
- Emergency Project
- No Possibility of Significant Effect
- Not a Project [Sec. 15378(b)(5)]

Cite specific CEQA Guideline Section: Section 15378 project means the whole of an action, which has the potential for resulting in either a direct physical change in the environment, or a reasonably foreseeable indirect change, and that is any of the following: (b), Project does not include: (5) Organizational or administrative activities of governments that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.

Reasons to support exemption findings (attach additional material, if necessary):

This action approves agreements with Big Green Cleaning Company for Countywide janitorial services covering the period of January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2018. The County is already engaged in these same janitorial services via an outside vendor, the action simply establishes agreements for the next calendar year of service.

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Acceptance Date: **December 13, 2016**

Distribution: Hearing Support Staff for posting

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November 28, 2016
Date

NOTE: A copy of this document must be posted with the County's Planning & Development Department at least 6 days prior to consideration of the activity by the decision-makers to comply with County CEQA guidelines and a copy must be filed with the County Clerk of the Board after project approval to begin a 35 day statute of limitations on legal challenges.

Date filed with Planning & Development

Date filed with Clerk of Board